CUSTOMER NO. 24498

Approved for use through 03/31/2007. OMB 0661-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. Request Application Number 10/530881 RECEIVED For CENTRAL FAX CENTER Filing Date April 11, 2005 Continued Examination (RCE) First Named Inventor JENS SPILLE or al. APR 10 2008 **Transmittal** Address to: Art Unit 2615 Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents **Examiner Name** Lee Ping P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Customer Number 24498 Attorney Docket Number PD020100 This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2. Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered Submission required under 37 1. amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s). a. Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_ Other. b. . 🛛 Enclosed ☐ Amendment/Reply iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iv. Other Fee Transmittal Miscellaneous 2. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. 1.103(c) for months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i) required) Other 3. The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. 1.114 when the RCE is filed. Fees a. 🔀 The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 07-0832 . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.17) (One Month) Other | b. Check in the amount of \$ \_ \_ enclosed c. Payment by credit card (Form PTQ-2038 enclosed) WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. SIGNAFURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED Signature Date April 10, 2008 Name (Print /Type) REITSENG LIN Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE; Commissioner for Ratents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 or facelmile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below. Name (Print /Type) Joan Sanders Date April 10, 2008 This collection of information a required by 37 CFR 1.114. The information is required to obtain or relatin a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to lake 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, pregaring, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of ump-year require to complete his form and/or auggéstions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Parent and Trademark Office, J.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2. 04/11/2008 HMARZI1 00000010 070832 10530881

01 FC:1801

810.00 DA